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1. The timely submission under 37 CFR 1.129(a) filed on 24 February 2005 is not fully responsive to the prior Office action because the response did not follow the requirements of the species election mailed 25 January 2005, wherein a complete composition species is required. As indicated in the species election, there is a myriad of possible combinations of compositions put forth that is to broad and expansive, thus requiring an election of a complete composition to begin the search. Since the submission appears to be a *bona fide* attempt to provide a complete reply to the prior Office action, applicant is given a shortened statutory period of ONE MONTH or THIRTY DAYS from the mailing date of this letter, whichever is longer, to submit a complete reply. This shortened statutory period supersedes the time period set in the prior Office action. This time period may be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a). If a notice of appeal and the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(e) were filed prior to or with the payment of the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(r), the payment of the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(r) by applicant is construed as a request to dismiss the appeal and to continue prosecution under 37 CFR 1.129(a). The appeal stands dismissed.

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